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ORDINANCE NO. 364-08

BY: **SCOTT M. TUMA**
(By Request – Mayor)

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH TUCKER ELLIS & WEST LLP FOR THE PURPOSES OF MANAGEMENT AND COORDINATION OF THE RADIO COMMUNICATION WORKING GROUP WHICH WORKS TO ESTABLISH, EXPAND, AND MARKET THE CITY'S INTEROPERABLE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATION SYSTEM, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PARMA, STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with Tucker Ellis & West LLP for the purposes of management and coordination of the Radio Communication Working Group which works to establish, expand, and market the City's interoperable public safety communication system at a cost not to exceed \$50,000.00, with an expiration date of December 31, 2009, with a copy in substantially similar form attached as Exhibit "A".

Section 2. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute said contract and to take such action and to execute such other documents and amendments thereto as may be necessary as are approved by the Law Director.

Section 3. That funds for said services shall be paid from Fund No. 001-003-Miscellaneous Executive, Account No. 62110-36408-Professional Services.

Section 4. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council; and that all deliberations of the Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.

Section 5. That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of the City of Parma, and for the further reason that this measure is necessary to ensure that there is not a lapse in the progress that Tucker Ellis & West has already made on this project in collaboration with the City, and this Ordinance shall become immediately effective upon receiving the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council and approval of the Mayor, otherwise from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: _____
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST: _____ APPROVED: _____
CLERK OF COUNCIL

FILED WITH
THE MAYOR: _____
MAYOR, CITY OF PARMA, OHIO